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THE JOINT NOTE IS SIGNED

THE BRITISH FOREIGN OFFICE IS CERTAIN OF IT.

Though it Has Not Received Official Notification They Regard the Contrary Reports as a Mistake.

London, Dec. 22.—It appears that the British foreign office has not received notification from Pekin that the joint note has been signed, but in view of the fact that it had received assurances from the ambassadors in London that all the ministers had been instructed to sign, foreign office accepted as correct, the semi-official despatches from Berlin and Paris announcing the signature. The foreign office says it has every reason to believe that the signing is an accomplished fact and that the telegrams to the contrary are possibly anterior thereto.

Social.

Mrs. Harry Lee entertained the Social Card Club last night. Progressive whist was played and the party enjoyed a most delightful evening. A pretty china cake plate was the first prize. It was won by Mrs. Cornelius Mebane. Mrs. B. C. Sharpe received the other prize, a picture.

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The Progressive Euchre Club met with Mrs. Thos. Bernard last evening. In the games Mrs. Nelson, Miss Wetmore and Miss Horry came out even, and so cut for the prize. Miss Horry was the successful one. Mr. W. H. Wetmore won the gentleman's prize. Miss Frances O'Brien captured the booty, and Mrs. Parker received the consolation prize.

Survey for Electric Light Plant.

Mr. F. H. Tidman, of the Tower-Sanford Electric Light and Manufacturing Company, of Richmond, is in Greensboro for the purpose of making a preliminary survey to ascertain the cost of putting in an electric light plant. He is working for the town.

4 Charlotte Paper Makes Mr. Bryan an Attractive Offer.

Charlotte News.

In this connection it may not be amiss to state that an invitation has been extended to Hon. W. J. Bryan to make Charlotte his home and become editor of The News and Times-Democrat.

A letter containing an attractive offer has been mailed Mr. Bryan by the editor and proprietor of these papers, and he hopes to have a favorable reply at an early date.

The splendid advantages offered by this city and this section are set before Mr. Bryan, its wonderful growth and progress, and its unequalled attractions on account of location, natural resources, etc., for the publication of a great newspaper.

The News hopes on its own account, and on account of its city and State section that Mr. Bryan will give this proposition favorable consideration.

Hon. C. H. Mebane spent last night in the city. He could not be here to attend the meeting of the board of directors of the State Normal College, of which he is a member.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spratt Hill, of New York, were here today enroute to Durham to spend Christmas.

Misses Lelia and Lillian Pitts left today at noon to spend the holidays with relatives and friends at Red Springs and Sanford.

One Twenty-Three Feet Long Caught at a Depth of 250 Fathoms.

A new sea serpent has been discovered on the coast of Japan, 100 miles from Tokyo. It is classed by scientists as a coelenterate and one of the most gigantic ever seen. It was caught by a long fishing line at a depth of 250 fathoms. It was a magnificent specimen. A large disk surmounted a long stalk, which evidently fixed the animal on the sea bottom. A circle of numerous graceful tentacles hung down from the margin of the disk, while on its upper surface arose an oval tube surrounded at its base by bushy appendages and having a second circle of slender tentacles around the upper edge. The total height of the animal was 700 millimeters (23 feet) and the prevailing color transparent scarlet. The specimen was entirely fresh, but not living.

SPECIAL SERVICES TOMORROW

Grace Methodist Protestant Church Will Worship in Harmony With the Christmas Season.

At Grace Methodist Protestant church tomorrow special services will be held in harmony with the Christmas season. The following is the order of the morning service, which will begin at 11 o'clock:

1. Anthem, "Shout the Glad Tidings," Hawley.
2. Invocation.
3. Responsive Reading.
4. Hymn, "To Us a Child is Born."
5. Prayer.
6. Anthem, "Come Near Ye Nations," Peal.
7. Responsive Reading.
8. "Hark! What Mean Those Holy Voices?"
9. Scripture Reading by the Pastor.
10. Anthem, "Brightest and Best," Whitby.
11. The Sermon.
12. Prayer.
13. Offertory. Soprano Solo and Quartette, "Hark, Hark My Soul" Kraft, Mrs. Teague, Soloist; Mr. Teague, Miss Weatherly, Mr. White.
14. Doxology.
15. Benediction.

The choir will be assisted by Mr. J. Wesley White.

At 7:30 in the evening a service consisting of songs, recitations, etc., by the children and songs by the Sunday School will be held. At this service the presents will be distributed to the children, and their gifts to the children of the Oxford Orphanage will be received.

The public is cordially invited to attend both of these services.

Church Services Tomorrow.

Washington Street church—Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Subject in the morning, "Heavenly Enthusiasm," and at night, "Christian Life." All invited.

Spring Garden Chapel—Preaching in the morning at 11 o'clock and 7 at night by the pastor, Dr. L. W. Crawford. Sunday school at 4:15 p. m. The public cordially invited to all these services.

There will be the usual services at Westminster church tomorrow. Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.; preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m., by Rev. W. A. Murray; Westminster League at 7 p. m.

St. Benedict's—High mass and sermon, 10:30 a. m.; Sunday school at 3:30, and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament at 5 p. m. All are welcome.

St. Barnabas church—Fourth Sunday in Advent—Morning prayer and sermon, 11 a. m.; evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m.; Sunday school, 9:45 a. m.; Christmas, 11 a. m.

St. Catharine's, as usual.

Rev. James R. Jones will preach at the Friends' church in the morning. The usual services at Centenary Methodist church.

At West Market Street Methodist church Dr. Turrentine, the pastor, will preach in the morning. At 7:30 there will be a Sunday school exercise.

At Grace Methodist Protestant—At 7:30 p. m., a service consisting of songs, recitations, etc. by the children, will take the place of the Young People's meeting.

Tomorrow night Rev. Dr. E. W. Smith will preach on "The Testimony of Nineteen Centuries to the Triumph of Christ's Unity."

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Took the Christmas Cakes.

Mr. A. H. Alderman, cashier of the Greenboro National bank, was all "putout" this morning. Mrs. Alderman lost her Christmas cakes last night. Thieves broke into the pantry, and cleaned it out. While they got other things, Mr. Alderman thinks he could stand that if the cakes hadn't gone, too.

Special Term of Court Ordered.

At the solicitation of the Greensboro bar, Governor Russell has ordered a special term of court for this county for the trial of civil cases. It will begin January 14th, and continue three weeks. Judge Timberlake will preside.

LIKE SAVAGES SAY KRUGER.

THAT IS HOW THE ENGLISH ARE WAGING WAR.

The President Seeking to Get the Powers to Say It They Will do as they Promised at the Hague.

London, Dec. 21.—Mr. William T. Stead has just returned from The Hague, where he has had a long conference with Kruger and has ascertained the views of Mr. Kruger and his counsellors as to the present situation and future prospects. Mr. Stead has written the following for the Associated Press:

"First of all, nothing is decided about his visit to America at present. President Kruger has not abandoned all hope of securing the support of the governments of the civilized world in his demand for arbitration. Until the last government refuses absolutely to say a word in support of the principles which they solemnly laid down at The Hague conference, Mr. Kruger will not partake in popular demonstrations. It is recognized that if he cared to do so he could shake the continent. Popular enthusiasm for him is unparalleled since Garibaldi's visit to London, but until his diplomatic mission is exhausted an appeal to the people cannot even be taken into consideration. Mr. Kruger is emphatic in disclaiming any desire to involve other nations in war in behalf of the Boers. What he asks is that the governments which at The Hague declared their determination to use their efforts to secure amicable settlement of disputes by means of mediation and arbitration, should make a united effort to bring the verdict of the civilized world to bear on Great Britain.

"The English," Mr. Kruger said, "are waging this war in South Africa like savages. They are burning homes, destroying dams, cutting trees, devastating fields and creating famine.

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Heavy Trading on Stock Market.

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New York, Dec. 22.—The stock market opened this morning with exciting trading and violent advances all along the line. Opening transactions in Northern Pacific were sixteen thousand shares at the extreme advance of one point. In Brooklyn Rapid Transit, seven thousand two hundred shares were traded in, with advance of three points. There were heavy transactions in other stocks.

NEW PROFESSOR FOR G. F. C.

Prof. H. B. Craven, Grand-son of Dr. Braxton Craven, succeeds Prof. Smoot.

Prof. T. A. Smoot, who was recently appointed to the pastorate of the Fayetteville church, will be succeeded at the Greensboro Female College by Prof. H. B. Craven, of Durham. Prof. Smoot will probably leave Greensboro next week, and Prof. Craven comes to the College with the opening of the Spring session. Of him the Durham Herald says:

"During the time that he has been at the head of the graded school here he has made many friends and the growth of the school shows the wisdom of his management. He has endeared himself to every patron of the school, and the announcement of his resignation will be the cause of general regret among our people. Professor Craven is a graduate of Trinity College, and is not only a well educated man, but is a teacher by inheritance, being a grandson of the late and lamented Dr. Braxton Craven, who made Trinity what it is today. In leaving East Durham Professor Craven will carry with him the best wishes of all our people. As yet it is not known who will be selected to succeed him.

Cadets Relieved.

Anapolis, Md., Dec. 22.—Fifty-six cadets, comprising the entire third class of the Naval Academy, are greatly relieved, their punishment ending with today. They were placed on the third conduct grade on the 19th of November, and were permitted to visit the city only once. They were punished for having signed a petition to the secretary of the navy asking him to show clemency to a cadet that the superintendent had asked to have dismissed for "gouging."

The MacDonough Launched.

Weymouth, Mass., Dec. 22.—The torpedo boat destroyer was launched today at the Fore River Engine Company's plant. This is the last boat that the company will launch at the narrow reach of the river, the others to take the water at the new works at the mouth of the river at Quincy Point.

Miss Lucy MacDonough, of Philadelphia, now Mrs. Charles Holcomb Read, christened the craft with her maiden name, after Commodore MacDonough.

Sunday Night Concert.

New York, Dec. 22.—Manager Grau, who opened at the Metropolitan Opera House on the 18th inst. with "Romeo and Juliette" (in French), with Mme. Melba and MM. Edouard de Reszke, Plancon and Selezza, will give his first popular Sunday night concert tomorrow night.

New Methodist Church.

Terre Haute, Ind., Dec. 22.—The new Maple Avenue M. E. church will be opened for occupancy on Sunday next, and the Christmas exercises of the congregation and Sunday school will be held in it. The church is considered the third finest in the city in the point of architecture and accommodations.

For the Jewish Home.

Chicago, Dec. 22.—The Moshav Kkaimen Association, formed last winter for the purpose of maintaining an "orthodox home" for aged Jews, opened a bazaar today at Medinah Temple. The entire membership of this organization now numbers 5,000.

King George's Birthday.

Athens, Greece, Dec. 24.—This is the 55th birthday of King George of Greece, he having been born on the 24th of December, 1845.

"Casino Girl" in London.

London, Dec. 22.—The "Casino Girl" closed a successful run here to-night.

THE SHAKE UP IN NEW YORK

TAMMANY CLOSED ALL THE GAMBLING DENS LAST NIGHT.

Dick Croker Knows Nothing of What is Going on and His Friends Can't Locate Him.

By Wire to The Telegram

New York, Dec. 22.—Under the orders of Tammany Hall all the gambling establishments were closed tight last night. Lewis Nixon, acting for the Tammany Purity Committee, threatens to break with the police captains.

There is a rumor at the Democratic club that Croker is still in complete ignorance of the shake up in police circles. It is said that half a dozen telegrams to Croker have been returned undelivered and that his friends here don't know his present whereabouts. It is understood that Croker has left his home at Wantage, England, to go to some watering place on the continent. None of the Tammany leaders have heard from him in a week. Corporation Counsel Whalen is now recognized as the head of the organization.

Two Celebrated Law Suits.

Dallas, Texas, Dec. 22.—Two of the most interesting law suits ever tried in the Texas courts are expected to come up again before the Dallas district judges. Both have once been tried and each interests the entire state. One is the famous Mexia will contest, affecting at least half a million dollars' worth of property. The other is the Hayden-Cranfill case, which grew out of the Baptist church controversy, in which Dr. Hayden sued Dr. Cranfill, Col. Slaughter and thirty others for \$50,000 damages, claiming that they had injured his reputation by "ousting" him from the State Baptist convention two years ago. There is a long array of prominent lawyers on both sides.

Delay Morocco Settlement.

Washington, Dec. 22.—The settlement of the claims against Morocco would have been completed ere this had it not been for the great annual religious festival of the Moors, which begins this week and ends in January. This occupies the attention of the Moors so absorbingly that it is considered impious for any person to transact business. If the guns of the United States had been set to summon the Sultan of Morocco to pay up we would have been considered barbarians. So the claimants will have to wait until February.

To Sue John Hays Hammond.

Colorado Springs, Col., Dec. 22.—T. A. Rickard, former consulting engineer of Stratton's Independence gold mine, at Cripple Creek, who has arrived here from London, will at once bring suit against John Hays Hammond, who as an expert reported against Richard's estimates of the mine. Hammond reported the ore reserves at \$200,000, while Rickard had put them at \$13,000,000. Rickard claims that Hammond's statements greatly injured him.

Present for Convicts.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 22.—Governor Tanner prepared

W. C. T. U.
DEPARTMENT.

CONDUCTED BY THE LOCAL UNION.]

The women of our country have led the crusade against the canteen, and they have had their faith pretty thoroughly tested as they have met obstacle after obstacle. There has been a determined effort to show that the canteen was a good thing and in the interests of morality, but the women of the country have never believed this. They have cried out all the harder, "it must be wiped out of existence."

At the present moment they seem to have triumphed. Their knight, "without reproach or fear," for the struggle, was Representative Littlefield, of Maine, who offered the following substitute for the canteen provision of the army bill: "The sale of or dealing in beer, wine or any intoxicating liquors, by any person in any post, exchange or canteen or any army transport, or upon any premises used for military purposes by the United States, is prohibited. The Secretary of War is hereby directed to carry the provisions of this section into full force and effect."

This was adopted by a vote of 159 to 51. Many members of the W. C. T. U. were in the gallery and applauded the result. It, of course, may come to grief in the Senate, but it is doubtful if the bill will be delayed on this issue.

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A DRUNKARD'S APPEAL.

A young man entered the barroom of the village tavern and called for a drink.

"No," said the landlord, "you have had the delirium tremens once, and I can't sell you any more."

He stepped aside for two young men, who had just entered and the landlord waited on them very politely. The other stood by, silent, and when they had finished he walked up to the landlord and thus addressed him: "Six years ago, I stood where those two young men now are. I was a young man of fair prospects. Now at the age of 28, I am a wreck. In this room I formed the habit that has been my

ruin. Now sell me a few more glasses and your work will be done! I shall soon be out of the way; there is no hope for me. But they can be saved. Do not sell it to them. Sell it to me and let me die, and the world will be rid of me; but for heaven's sake, sell no more to them."

The landlord listened, pale and trembling. Setting down his decanter, he exclaimed, "God help me, it is the last drop I will sell to anyone!" And he kept his word.

BRAVE MEN FALL.

Victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles as well as women, and all feel the results in loss of appetite, poisons in the blood, backache, nervousness, headache and tired, listless, rundown feeling. But there's no need to feel like that. Listen to J. W. Gardner, Idaville, Ind. He says: "Electric Bitters are just the thing for a man when he is all run down, and don't care whether he lives or dies. It did more to give me new strength and appetite than anything I could take. I can now eat anything and have a new lease on life." Only 50 cents at C. E. Holton's drug store. Every bottle guaranteed.

When the stomach is tired out it must have a rest, but we can't live without food. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure "digests what you eat" so that you can eat all the good food you want while it is restoring the digestive organs to health. It is the only preparation that digests all kinds of food. Howard Gardner.

GOOD ADVICE.

The most miserable things in the world are those suffering from dyspepsia and liver complaint. More than seventy-five per cent. of the people in the United States are afflicted with these two diseases and their effects: such as sour stomach, sick headache, habitual costiveness, palpitation of the heart, heart-burn, water-brash, gnawing and burning pains at the pit of the stomach, yellow skin, coated tongue and disagreeable taste in the mouth, coming up of food after eating, low spirits, etc. Go to your druggist and get a bottle of August Flower for 75 cents. Two doses will relieve you. Try it. Get Green's Prize Almanac. Grissom & Forham.

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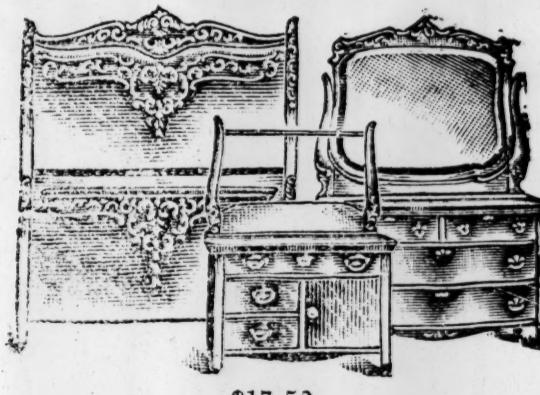
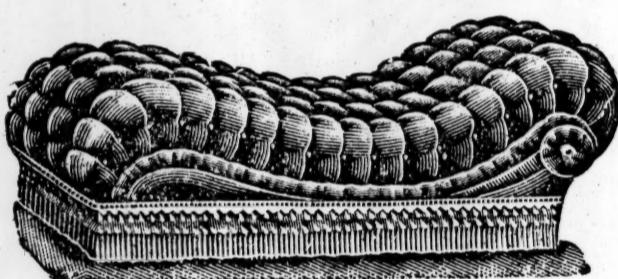
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R. F. BEASLEY, Editor and Manager

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 22

Some one has remarked that Joel Chandler Harris will present about as good a title for the consideration of posterity as any literary man of the time. We believe that His creations portrayed by Uncle Remus are absolutely unique. One could imagine that when the negro race has shown some such progress, if it ever does, as the white race has attained, that Harris will be to it a kind of Grimm Brothers. The book stores are offering for Christmas "Daddy Jake, The Runaway," and other stories. The author makes the mistake, we believe, in throwing a sop to his Northern readers in the creation of "Crazy Sue," who tells the story that her master forced her to the field from her twin babies and they thereby were made to actually starve to death, and she became demented. It is safe to say that no slave owner ever did that. Self-interest, in the absence of humane instincts, would have precluded it. Beside this the stories are like, in their unique interest, the others which Uncle Remus has told.

"Ben Hur" is to be translated into Greek, it having already been done into many languages. James Whitcomb Riley remarks:

"You can't go nowhere, near nor fur, Where all the folks hain't read 'Ben Hur.'

If Charlotte hadn't been so smart she might have gotten the branch office of the superintendent of Railway Mail Service for the third division which has just come to Greensboro. We and the Postmaster General were talking of putting it in Charlotte, but we didn't like some of her ways. She needn't be disheartened though, for whatever doesn't come to Greensboro goes there and she may get something yet.—Greensboro Telegram.

Every time hungry Greensboro, sniffing and scenting around for something to eat, picks up a little bone, she tears madly up and down with it in her mouth, yelping delightedly over her find and flaunting it in Charlotte's face, with the idea that her antics will arouse the Hornets' Nest city to furious jealousy. Nay, nay, Pauline! We maintain our well-fed equanimity. You are welcome to our leavings. We don't even care where you bury your soup bones. We are quite confident, however, that you will resurrect them tomorrow and next day to show them again.—Charlotte Observer.

No, no, Ma, much learning hath made thee mad. Greensboro is now preparing to build a monument partly in honor of Mecklenburg, to be placed where all her visitors will see it.

Perhaps we may not have war with China and then perhaps we may. It is the opinion of good and clear thinkers that a war with China would mean greater disaster every way than our war with Spain.—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

We had been living under the impression that there were no disasters for Samuel in the Spanish war.—Greensboro Telegram.

We lost Worth Bagley and many others. Is not the loss of such noble young men to be considered?—Scotland Neck Commonwealth.

The death of the young man was sad. But that was his part of being a soldier. If our contemporary meant to deplore the fact that men are killed in warfare, it should make its argument against the waging of war, and not call a specific war disastrous because a few men were killed.

We should like for Editor Dowd to say in what particular his offer to Mr. Bryan was more "attractive" than the one of \$10,000 made that gentleman by the Omaha paper.

NOT THE ANNANIAS CLUB.
Does an era of good stealing
Make an era of good feeling?—Durham Sun.
Poeta Nascitur Non Fit.

The New York Herald has gotten up a Hall of Fame of its own and prints their names. It does not include Benjamin Franklin, Robert E. Lee, John C. Calhoun, Daniel Webster or Henry Clay.—News and Observer.

It makes a mistake only in leaving out the first two named.

"Married Forty-Two Years; Now Destitute," is the braying put upon a police-court case by the New York Sun. That was, indeed, a remarkably long postponement of the destitution.—Norfolk Landmark.

Perhaps it would not have been postponed at all had he not been married.

The mother of Judge Oliver and ex-Judge William Allen, was perhaps the only mother in North Carolina who ever had two sons judges on the bench at the same time.—Wilmington Messenger.

This was indeed a worthy distinction.

While Durham county has about all the school term it will use to advantage we hope the legislature will do something for the counties that are not so fortunate.—Durham Herald.

Our contemporary, as usual, is unselfish.

It probably makes Raleigh and Greensboro feel more like a city to think that they have better depots than Durham.—Durham Sun.

Nit.

During the siege of Pekin the members of the Diplomatic Corps ate eighty mules. They kicked some, but they ate all the same.—Wilmington Star.

They kicked against the pricks, which is always vain.

Mr. Bryan's paper will be called "The Commoner," and it will doubtless prove the true Democratic Vade Mecum.—Fayetteville Observer.

Where to?

Whatever pledges or promises were made in the last campaign, there is one which the legislature must see carried out, no matter what may seem to interfere. And that pledge is regarding the public schools, and increased educational facilities for the white children of North Carolina.—Newbern Journal.

We believe it since the newspapers have said that it must be done. We didn't when the politicians made the remark unsupported.

This is the last issue for this year, our printers desire to take a week off in which they will hunt "dear," quail and make old "Mollie Hare" look some place of safety.—Dunn Banner. Old Molly will doubtless have to bear the brunt of the vacation sport.

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SOUTHERN LOAN AND TRUST CO.

Now that the beginning of a new year is approaching, when we all like the young men of Greensboro in the matter of Savings. The young man who starts a savings account, no matter how small, and keeps adding to it, soon has an enviable reputation. It shows that he is trying to economize and save, that he is not a spendthrift. Furthermore it gives him a good business character. Such a course starts him on the straight road to prosperity. He is known as a substantial citizen.

Start a savings account with the SOUTHERN LOAN & TRUST COMPANY. Deposit a part of your earnings every month, and you will be surprised to see how much you can save in twelve months. Now is the time to begin. Deposits made on or before January 2nd draw interest from that date.

E. P. WHARTON, President.

R. G. VAUGHN, Treasurer.

HOLIDAY BARGAINS AT
Fariss' Drug Store

Sterling Silver Novelties Cheaper

Than They Have Ever Been Before.

Sterling Silver Nail Files, .25c, 30c, 40c and 50c.
Sterling Silver Shoe Horns, .45c, 55c, and 60c.
Sterling Silver Shoe Hooks, .25c, 30c, 50c and 60c.
Sterling Silver Paper Cutters, .30c.
Sterling Silver Glove Stretchers, .30c, 45c and 60c.
Sterling Silver Hand Blotters, .30c.
Sterling Silver Bonnet Brushes, .81 and \$1.25.
Sterling Silver Cloth Brushes, .81 and \$1.75.
Sterling Silver Back Combs, .81.
Sterling Silver Tap Salve Jars, .50c, 75c, \$1 and \$1.50.

Nailcure Sets, Toilet Sets, Perfumes, Imported
and Domestic; Pocket Books and Card Cases.
Eastman Kodaks \$1 to \$25. Huyler's and Murcott
Candies.

JOHN B. FARISS, Druggist.

More New Goods
Diamonds, Watches, Clocks.

Sterling Silverware, Rich American Cut Glass. A nice line of Gold Jewelry and Sterling Silver Novelties. And our prices are right.

Rosenblatt & Ellington,

at the Little Store Around the Corner.

Engraving Free. 'Phone 147.



The Great Strike of Coal
Miners will make coal more
expensive this winter.

Don't waste it by trying to heat your house with some of the old-time wasteful methods, but let us put you up-to-date

Hot Water or Steam Heating
Plant. It will save you money and you will be able to keep comfortable during the cold winter weather which is sure to come.

If you have a steam or hot plant that needs repairing let us up for you now, before the rush

J. R. RICH & SON

(Successors to ODELL HARDWARE CO. in Plumbing, Gas and Steam Fitting.)
327 SOUTH ELM STREET.

HAVE YOU LAID IN YOUR WINTER'S SUPPLY OF

COAL?

If not, let us put it in for you at once, as prices will surely be higher in short time. Let us book your orders for Jellico and Toms' Creek or Anthracite Coal.

Greensboro Ice
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Sole Agents in Greensboro for the Celebrated Pocahontas Coal.

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Yarns, New Braids, Patterns,
Call and examine our line,
it will interest you.

The Ladies' Emporium

AMUSEMENTS.
Academy of Music, Dec. 28.—Brown University Glee Club.
At the Academy of Music, Dec. 29.—"My Daughter-in-Law."

PERSONAL MENTION.

Mr. E. K. Huff went to Kernersville today.

Capt. W. H. Day, of Raleigh, spent the day in the city.

Mrs. I. F. West left today for a two weeks' visit in Moore county.

Dr. Edmund Harrison left at noon for Richmond, Va.

Miss Jessie Thomas has returned from Salem Female Academy.

Miss Dora Bevil returned last night from a visit to Charlotte.

Mr. Hugh Smith returned from Chapel Hill last night.

Miss Mary Brooks came home this morning from the Oxford Female Seminary.

Mrs. C. B. Wilkerson and sister, Mrs. Valentine, of Winston, left this morning for Thomasville to spend Christmas with their parents.

Miss Rosa Moore went to Red Springs this afternoon to spend the holidays at home.

Miss Mary Applewhite left this morning for Scotland Neck to spend Christmas with her mother.

Misses Lilla Young and Lizzie McIver, of Winston, passed through today on their way to Reidsville.

Misses Frances and Catherine Smith, of Charlotte, will arrive Sunday to spend the holidays with friends in this city.

Miss Sallie W. Stockard has been in South Guilford for a week collecting historic data. She returned to the city this morning.

Mr. S. L. Patterson, Commissioner of Agriculture, spent last night at the Guilford on the way from Raleigh to his home in Caldwell county.

Mr. J. D. Boushall, State agent for the Aetna Life Insurance Company, came up last night to meet Mr. W. W. Wood, his agent here. He stopped at the Guilford.

Mr. F. S. Eldridge will return from Montgomery, Ala., tomorrow and will spend Christmas with his family on Edgeworth street.

Mr. W. R. Thompson, principal of the South Greensboro graded school, went to Statesville this morning to spend the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carr, who have been spending several months at Waynesville are expected home tonight.

Mr. G. E. Wood, who has been here several days looking after the 5 and 10 cent store left today for Roanoke, Virginia.

Mr. J. A. Legan, office deputy Marshal, returned last night from Nashville, Tenn., where he had been to carry five Federal prisoners, four from Charlotte and one from here.

Miss Maggie Gannon and Mrs. G. W. Whitsett left last night for Philadelphia, where they will spend the holidays with relatives.

RED HOT FROM THE GUN

Was the ball that hit G. B. Steadman, of Newark, Mich., in the Civil War. It caused horrible ulcers that no treatment helped for twenty years. Then Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured him. Cures cuts, bruises, burns, boils, felonies, corns, skin eruptions. Best pile cure on earth. 25 cents a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by C. E. Holton, druggist.

Only a few more cameras left at the big cut in prices. Better call quick if you want a bargain. Moore Optical Co.

PIPE3 for Xmas presents at King Bros'. 21-3t

Get In ahead of the crowd and be sure of getting your eyes fitted right with best glasses and enjoy Christmas. Drs. Moore.

WORKING NIGHT AND DAY.

The busiest and mightiest little thing that ever was made is Dr. King's New Life Pill. Every pill is a sugar-coated globule of health, that changed weakness into strength, listlessness into energy, brain-fag into mental power. They're wonderful in building up the health. Only 25 cents per box. Sold by C. E. Holton.

If your eyes are perfectly fitted with glasses they will last much longer. Let us tell you what they need. Drs. Moore.

ALL kinds of Xmas candies, fruits and fancy cakes at Hiatt & Lamb's.

Opera glasses, lorgnettes, field glasses etc., going at big discount from regular prices, Xmas at Moore Optical Co.'s.

ALL the popular brands of cigars at King Bros'. 21-3t

Nothing Nicer than a good camera for your Xmas. Bargains at Moore Optical Co.'s this week.

CIGARS for Xmas presents at King Bros'. 21-3t

Cameras are appreciated by either ladies or gentlemen and make suitable Xmas presents. Can get such at big reduction this week at Moore Optical Co.

SPECIAL boxes of cigars for Xmas presents at King Bros'. 21-3t

Chico Cigars
Box 25 :: \$1.00
- At -

Gardner's Holiday Goods

One-Cent-a-Word.

(Advertisements inserted in this column at one cent per word for each insertion.)

EXTRA nice bright thin skinned lemons 20 cents dozen. Florida oranges 30, 40 and 50 cents dozen. Fresh nuts 15 and 20 cents pound. Fresh candy from 6t to 29 cents pound at Hiatt & Lamb's.

YSTEFS served on the half shell at the Elite. 22-2t

BALDWIN apples from 30 to 35 cents peck at Hiatt & Lamb's.

NOTHING nicer than a beautiful picture, you can enjoy all the time at Kerr's.

SHELL oysters for sale at the Elite. 22-2t

CARPET remnants at a bargain price. We have just put on sale another lot of carpet remnants. These are heavy all-wool, three-ply grains, size 36x40 inches. Price 35 cents each. Thacker & Brockmann

THOSE low prices for Aetna Lite Insurance will continue only a few days longer. If you wish to take advantage of them see W. W. Wood this week. You can save big money. 20-3t.

EVERYBODY wants candy for Christmas and a candy store is the place to find what you want. Try Silver's confectionery and you will find what you want. Also fruits, nuts, etc., and all kinds of cider. J. R. Silver, opposite postoffice. 220-2t.

A HOUSE FULL of candy for 10 cents at the Elite. 21-1t

FINE Home Grown celery—For sale at 333 and 535 So. Elm. 5t

FANCY Jumbo bananas. Clegg's Bakery. 12-18-1w.

FINEST lime box candy ever seen in the city. Clegg's Bakery. 12-18-1w.

A GENCY Whitman's chocolates and confections. Clegg's Bakery. 1w.

SPECIAL sale of fireworks this week. Santa Claus headquarters at Pearce's. 6t

GOLDEN opportunity at Kerr's. Drummers' samples of cut glass, china and bric-a-brac.

ARE you looking for something for Xmas present? What is the matter with a nice portable lamp complete with tubing connections, reading globes, etc. Another nice one would be one of our hydro carbon students' lamp. They are beauties; see the new supply received today. Gate City Supply Co., 217 South Elm street. Phone 161.

FOR SALE—An 8-room house on Bellemeade avenue, price \$2,000, on easy terms. A. Weatherly, agent, 712 King street. 12-12-2w.

BUY your coal now; don't wait till bad weather. Cunningham Bros. Phone 8.

DRAYAGE—Phone 104 for quick delivery. G. A. Kestler. 1141m

CUT glass and china—fancy articles at wholesale prices at Kerr's book store Saturday and Monday.

YOU cannot do better than to place your meat trade with J. C. Olive & Co., stall No. 2, city market. Best steak 12c; best roast 8 to 10c; stew 6c; veal cutlets 12c; pig ham 10c. 21-2t

- Christmas - AT Harry-Belk Bros Co.

The great rush is now on. Time is limited. We have prepared for it. Extra help, lots of goods. Now while we are straining every point to wait upon all, still there are a great many, no doubt, that we cannot reach as soon as we would like. To all such we would kindly ask a little indulgence, especially during the great Christmas rush. We don't mean to slight any one but treat all alike. Largest assortment of useful things for presents in the city.

FANCY CLOCKS, EBONY BRUSHES, SETS., ETC., STERLING SILVER.

A host of useful and suitable things that because they are Sterling Silver have a dignity which only the best things possess. **Little Prices that Talk Loudly.** Christmas comes but once a year, but such chances as we are offering come but once in a life time. Here you will find gifts that are useful.

SHOES, SPECIAL SALE.

\$3.00 Gondola welts at \$2.48. Why pay 50c more for same shoes elsewhere?

Now don't be odd from other folks, but get a move on yourself and join the rush at

Harry-Belk Bros. Co.

Cheapest Store on Earth.

Phone 130

FOR LAGRIPPE AND HEADACHE

use the tried and true remedy. Never Disappoints.....

HICK'S CAPUDINE**Christmas Goods.**

AT

Coble & Porter's.**Listen to This**

If you want a good and useful Xmas Present it will aid you. We mean just what we say. Any one buying any of the following articles between now and Xmas day (25) we will sell them for just what it cost to put them in our store (and some of them cheaper): Brass Andirons, Firesets, Coal Vases, Brass Fenders, Decorated Coal Hods, Nickle Pleated Firesets, etc.

Yours for Bargains,

McClamroch Bros.

217 South Elm Street.

PHONE 161

Come in and buy a Xmas present and get a nice calendar for 1901.

Our Idea

Best goods are cheapest. Cheap goods are dear at any price. We sell the best goods in gold and silver watches, chains, charms, diamond rings, bracelets, charms, scarf pins, good clocks, silk umbrellas. Engraving neatly done.

Schiffman Jewelry Company.

The Reputation

of a store, like that of a man is no small part of its capital. Honesty is an asset which we believe our customers appreciate at its full value. Our prescription work is the best that science, experience and money can produce.

Holton's Drug Store

MeAdoo House Building.

TAR HEEL Cough Syrup, it cures. 25c.

Fire Insurance

We write policies in the

Southern Stock-Mutual Insurance Co.,

and The Underwriters of Greensboro,

and in other strong American and Foreign Companies. We give absolute protection and guarantee satisfactory adjustment of all losses. No policy too large or too small for us to write. Give us your business.

MURRAY BROS.

Christmas * Slippers!

MEN'S.

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| Imitation Alligator, | 75c | All Felt, | 50c |
| Fancy Embroidered, | 75c | Felt, Leather Soles, | 60c |
| Imitation Seal, | \$1.00 | Black Fur Top, | 75c |
| Black and Russet Goat, | 1.25 | Red and Black Fur Top Nullifiers, | \$1.00 |
| Fine Black Kid, | 1.50 | Quilted Sat. Nullifiers, | 1.25 |

LADIES'.

Infants' Quilted Satin and Felt Fur Topped Laced Shoes, pink, blue, red and ecru, 50 cts. per pair.

Thacker and Brockmann.

How the Old Man's Rosy Prospect Faded.

"SPECKILATION is all right for them as can see their way out an' figger the stages right along," remarked the old bull whacker. "I've known men has got rich by speckilation. I seen Bill here put month's wages on the double O once an' hit three numbers runnin' in immediately subsequent investments, an' he was richer than this here Rockyfeller for three days after. You never seen as affluent a man as Bill was. But's far's I'm concerned I want a sure thing with rope hitched to it in case of an axle breakin'. I used to be sportive like the rest of you, but I hit the ground so hard it jarred all my back teeth loose, on the rosier prospect that ever delooded a hard workin' son of toil an' made him think that life was going to be one grand hurdy-gurdy of valley tan an' tobaccoe henceforward an' for evermore."

"What was that?" inquired the stock tender. "I never knewed you to have money enough to buy you a noo soot of clo's, let alone speckilate."

"An' I've knowned him for clost on to 15 years, off an' on, but I never knewed him any more of a sport than he is right now. He wouldn't play solitaire with himself an' make nay beans on the result of the game," said the stage agent, who, according to his monthly custom, was paying off the company's employ with a pack of cards.

"It's this a-way," said the old man. "I don't as a general thing take any galoot into my confidence respectin' my financial operations, nor yet the proportions of my bank roll. I don't dress as slick as I might, mebbe, becuz it'd embarrass me when I fried my sowbelly to keep the greese spots off'n my panties, an' it wouldn't go well with the negligeé language I've got to use to make my team git down into the yokes, but don't you forget that I have got enough to buy this outfit put down in brine for winter use. It ain't no oil stock nor nothin' fancy—jes' plain little old gover'ment bonds. When I get a wad that gets too heavy to pack around I buy a bond or two an' tie it up with the rest of the bundle. I kin afford to slouch. When a man is on a solid financial basis appearances don't count for nothin' with him. He ain't like you ducks that's skeered somebody will tumble to their state of destitution all the time an' has to wear good clo's to make a bluff. No, sir! As far as takin' no chances is concerned, why, I told you right at the jump-away that I wasn't takin' any. What are you goin' to do with your month's pay, Sam?"

The stock tender grinned uneasily and looked at the stage agent, who reflected the grin.

"Well," said the agent, "it's my luck to-day, and the next day it may be his. Or I might git skinned if I tried you a whirl for some of them gover'ment bonds."

"What was your speckilation, Tubbs?" inquired the stock tender, who was evidently anxious to avoid a delicate subject.

"Turkeys," replied the old man. "I calculated on a corner in the poultry market an' slumped by reason of a defishusly of tall timber. It looked mighty well, though, for quite awhile! 'It was this way. Me an' Joe Hilliard had made a stake out in California freightin' an' we decided that we would see a little of the bright side of life, in pursuance of which object we headed for St. Lodey. We arrived there on skedool time more or less an' there wasn't anythin' in the bug too good for us. Our blood was in condition to assimilate any quantity of richness without an' bad effects. We flew high an' never come down to roost. All the same we struck a hard series of three-one deals an' there was a shrinkage in our assets by the end of the week that would have had a depressing influence on the bank of England. We could stand it, though. I told you we had made a stake."

"Well, I says to Joe: 'It ain't no use in spendin' our wealth all in one place. Let's give Omaha a touch of the sunny side of prosperity.' So we went on to Omaha and in two weeks more we was busted. Not plum busted, you understand. We had about \$10,000 left between us. It was a little over that, because that represented the exact amount of our investment. It come about this way: We was a settin' in the bridal chamber of the best hotel in the place eatin' our dinner, which was roast turkey. I disremember the name of the hotel, an' I don't see that it cuts any grass with you men, anyway. I said we was eatin' roast turkey an' there ain't nobody can tempt me to eat roast turkey now, I want to tell you. I killed a man with a neck-yoke in Pierre last year for just offerin' me some. But then it was a whole lot different an' that turkey tasted good. We didn't leave nothin' of it but the bones, an' when we had got to that point Joe stretched back an', lettin' out all the slich there was in his belt, which wasn't too much, he says: 'Why can't we get turkey like that on the Pacific coast?'

"That git' me the idee. When a man

has idees it don't take a stick of giant to blast them out in chunks that kin be handled. I run my fork keerlessly through my ha'r, which wuz longer than what it is now, an' I says: 'Why not buy turkeys here, drive them out to the coast an' recuperate our shattered finances?'

"Joe fell in with my scheme an' that evenin' we went out to the market an' investigated. We was in luck, for the market was glutted with turkeys an' they was goin' beggin' at 75 cents a head. I figured that they would sell on the coast for a dollar a pound easy an' that they would average 14 pounds in weight, takin' them all through. So we jest put that whole \$10,000 in the banks an' started out.

"They was easy enough to drive; there ain't a more tractable or docile bird on two legs than the turkey is. If it had been hens, now, I wouldn't never have undertook it, but turkeys is all right. I jest put a bell on the biggest one in the outfit an' started him right, an' the rest went gobblin' along after him. It wuz as pretty a sight to see them turkeys on the road as ever you seen in your life. Twelve thousand five hundred of them, an' not a straggler in the bunch!

"Fedd? Well, what do you think? Wasn't there bugs on the road? I reckon there was. It was a grasshopper year, I want to tell you, and the way those turkeys fatted up was a sin to snakes. Fourteen pounds! Why, there wasn't one of them turks that wouldn't have tipped the scale at 25 in a week, an' the bell turk an' the one that I strapped the blankets an' the cookin' outfit onto—I wouldn't want to tell you what they did weigh.

"No trouble about night herdin'. As soon as it was sundown they would commen' lookin' around for a place to roost, an' then they would fly up into the trees, an' we could rest easy until the next mornin'. We took the old overland trail along the Platte out to Fort Laramie, an' not a hitch in the arrangements. We could see how the folks in California was goin' to flock round us with their dust when we got there. We could see ourselves in carriages, with plug hats an' spike-tail coats an' bloodied stock. Hah! Do you know what that would have brought us? It's easy. Puttin' it at the moderate estimate of a dollar a pound, an' allowin' the average of 25 pounds to the bird, there we were with a clean profit of \$2475 on every one of them, or allowin' for possible losses by death or misadventure, say \$300.00 on the outfit. It was a gol durnd shame that we had to slip up on the deal."

The old man began to smoke his pipe in stolid silence, and the stock-tender winked at the stage agent. The silence continued for half an hour, and was then broken by the stock-tender remarking that it was about time for him to feed them horses.

"Yes," resumed the old man, placidly. "We slipped up on it, an' it was this way: You see, we had had lots of cottonwood trees all along the Platte, but when we started to cross the plains to Green river we noticed that the turkeys got bothered at roosting time. They kep' twistin' their necks around lookin' for some place to roost all night long, an' the next day some of them had necks like a pretzel. When they tried to feed an' took a shot at a bug or grasshopper they would miss him from six inches to a foot on one side or the other. Joe allowed that they would learn to calculate the variation after awhile, but they got poorer an' poorer, so all there was to it we had to take them back to the Platte to get the crick straightened out, which they did in a few days. But when we took them to the plains again we had the same old trouble, an' to make a long story short, we kep' drivin' them back an' forth an' back an' forth until there wasn't any more to drive."

"What got away with them?" asked the stage agent.

"We et 'em, you durned fool," replied the old man.—Chicago Daily Record.

Little Bit Off the Top.
There are numerous kinds of heads, Long heads, round heads and flats; Some heads are made to carry brains, And some are but racks for hats.—Chicago Daily News.

VERY CHOICE.



Mamma Rabbit—Yes, my dears, these cigars are certainly the best. I never tasted better cabbage.—N. Y. Journal.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION

OF THE

City National Bank,

OF GREENSBORO, IN THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS, DEC.

13th, 1900.

RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts.....\$281,396 22

Overdrafts, secured and unsecured 748 01

U. S. Bonds to secure circulation.....100,000 00

U. S. Bonds to secure U. S. deposits.....50,000 00

Premiums on U. S. Bonds.....10,065 99

Banking house, furniture and fixtures.....8,000 00

Due from National Banks, not reserve agents.....27,234 71

Due from State banks and bankers.....24,218 15

Due from approved reserve ag'ts.....16,598 04

Internal revenue stamps.....341 28

Checks and other cash items.....2,019 92

Notes of other National Banks.....960 00

Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents.....149 50

LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:

Specie.....10,325 50

Legal tender notes 6,000 00

16,325 50

Redemption fund with U. S. Treas'r five percent of circulation.....5,000 00

Due from U. S. Treasurer other than five per cent redemption fund.....900 00

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Total.....\$543,957 32

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Capital Stock paid in.....\$100,000 00

Surplus fund.....10,600 00

Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid.....7,191 36

National Bank notes outstanding.....100,000 00

Due to other Nat'l Banks.....7,739 81

Due to State banks and bankers.....19,575 06

Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks.....11,773 71

Individual deposits subject to check.....171,371 38

Demand certificates of deposit 10,000 00

Cashier's checks outstanding.....206 00

U. S. Deposits.....47,500 00

268,165 96

Notes and bills discounted.....3,000 00

Bills Payable.....55,000 00

Total.....\$543,957 32

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA, ss

COUNTY OF GUILFORD.

I, Lee H. Battle, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LEE H. BATTLE,
Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 22nd day of Dec. 1900.
R. G. VAUGHN,
Notary Public.

Correct—Attest:
JAS. A. HODGIN,
M. L. SHIELDS,
J. M. WALKER,

Notice of Incorporation

NORTH CAROLINA, Office Clerk

GUILFORD COUNTY, Superior Court

Notice is hereby given of the filing of articles of incorporation of the Greensboro Broom Work; that the names of the Incorporators are John J. Nelson, W. Brown, and E. Meekins, J. J. W. Pool, and others as they may associate with them; that the principal place of business is in Greensboro, No th Carolina, and its general purpose and business is the manufacture and sale of brooms, with powers and privilege to do all performance, and to do all acts in furtherance of the said business; that the duration of the corporation is thirty (30) years, the capital stock \$5,000 divided into five (500) hundred shares of the par value of \$10.00 each.

JNO. J. NELSON,
Clerk Superior Court

21st Nov.

Administrator's Notice.

The undersigned has this day qualified before the John J. Nelson, S. C., as administrator all persons are hereby summoned to present all claims against said estate to me or my attorney or before the 24th day of November, 1901, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery.

Nov. 21, 1901.

ROBERT L. WYRICK,
Adm'r of N. E. Wywick.

JOHN A. BARRINGER, Atty.

11-21-8

DEPARTURE OF TRAINS FROM GREENSBORO, N. C.

MAIN LINE—NORTHBOUND

No. 24, Fast Mail.....11:45 a. m.

" 6, Fast Mail.....12:23 p. m.

" 38, Vestibule.....10:47 a. m.

" 12, Passenger.....9:55 a. m.

" 8, Local.....7:58 a. m.

SOUTHBOUND

No. 33, Fast Mail.....5:48 a. m.

" 35, Fast Mail.....7:10 a. m.

" 37, Vestibule.....5:20 p. m.

" 11, Passenger.....5:30 a. m.

" 7, Local.....6:40 p. m.

FO RALEIGH

No. 16, Passenger.....12:25 p. m.

" 8, Passenger.....1:30 p. m.

" 12, for Raleigh.....12:01 a. m.

FOR WINSTON-SALEM

No. 10, Daily ex. Sunday.....12:35 p. m.

" 105, Daily.....8:25 a. m.

" 19, Daily.....7:20 p. m.

A. & Y. DIVISION

For Winston

" Mt. Airy.....12:25 p. m.

" Farnsor.

" Madison.....9:35 a. m.

LOCATION OF FIRE ALARMS.

12 Intersection of North Greene and Gray Streets, near Farmers' Warehouse.

13 Corner West Market and Eugene Streets

14 Corner West Market and Cedar Streets,

15 North West and East Washington Streets, near McAdoo House.

23 Corner Lindsey and Church Streets, near the Graded School.

You Will Want

Powdered Sugar
Cut Loaf Sugar
Plum Puddings
Fruit Cakes
Fancy Cluster Raisins
Malaga Grapes
Fancy Cranberries
Florida Oranges
Mixed Nuts
Cocoanuts, 5, 8 and 10c.
Fine Candies
Cheap Candies
Royster's Candies, in pkgs
Fancy Layer Figs
Christmas Tree Candies.
And Lots of Other Nice
Things.

**J. W. Scott
& Company**

**A Word to
Santa Claus**

It will pay you to see us before buying your Christmas supplies for the little ones. We are going to sell our goods at bottom rock prices. This is no empty speech as we really intend to sell our goods at very close figures. Do not miss your opportunity on nice fruits and candies of which we will have a bountiful supply and nice varieties. Yours for Xmas,

W. L. Wharton & Co.

**Christ-
mas
Pres-
ents**

Are in demand now. If you are undecided as to what to give your friends, come and see us and we may be able to help you out. A nice tie, silk suspenders, or an umbrella. Samples are on display in our north window.

**Merritt,
Brower
& Com-
pany**

THE WEATHER.
For North Carolina: Fair tonight Sunday partly cloudy and warmer, probably showers in west portion, winds becoming fresh to brisk east to south.

Highest temperature, in Greensboro, for past 24 hours, ending eight o'clock this morning, 39; lowest 30, rainfall .18

LOCAL NOTES.

Mr. Howard Gardner is distributing some pretty calendars among his friends.

The literary department of West Market street Epworth League will have a meeting Monday evening at 8 o'clock. One feature of this meeting will be an address by L. W. Crawford, Jr. Some special music has been prepared, and the entire program is of a character to please. All are invited.

MILLIONS GIVEN AWAY.

It is certainly gratifying to the public to know of one concern in the land who are not afraid to be generous to the needy and suffering. The proprietors of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, have given away over ten million trial bottles of this great medicine, and have the satisfaction of knowing it has absolutely cured thousands of hopeless cases. Asthma, Bronchitis, Hoarseness and all diseases of the throat, chest and lungs are surely cured by it. Call on C. E. Holton, druggist, and get a trial bottle free. Regular size 50c and \$1. Every bottle guaranteed, or prize returned.

FOR RENT—Seven room house on Gorrell street. Apply to A Weatherly, 712 King street.

Children's Coats

From \$1.50 to \$2.50.

Children's Fur Sets

From \$1.25 to \$8.00

Children's Leggins

Worth 40c at 25c.

Children's Mittens

10c to 25c.

**S. L. Gilmer
& Company**

THE ELITE
New York State Celery at 5 cents a bunch, shipped us by mistake.

Swiss Cheese, American and Imported.

Fresh Cakes and Fine Fruits. A Fresh lot Christmas Candies at THE ELITE,

Where To Adver- tise

Notices of New Advertisements.

A new 8 room dwelling on North Elm street for rent. Hot and cold water bath, etc. See ad. of David White.

Chico cigars, in boxes of 25, are nice presents for gentlemen—Howard Gardner.

If you want a good and useful Christmas present, listen to McClanahan Bros.

The Odell Hardware Company say they are ready for Christmas business, and are going to keep open tonight and Monday night until half past nine.

Christmas turkeys at 25 cents—Drs. R. L. & E. H. Moore.

In today's issue will be found the statement of the City National Bank, which shows quite an increase in business since last report.

A gentleman from the country was in town today to have a bottle of medicine refilled. The original label still remained on the bottle, and bore the firm name of "Porter & Gorrell." It was purchased over thirty years ago.

AN appropriate Xmas present for gentlemen—a box of nice cigars from King Bros. 21-31

D. Bendheim & Sons

**The Critical Days
Are Here.**

Another three days of spirited selling and Christmas chimes will ring out their glad tidings. Already we have enjoyed the greatest pre-holiday trade of our entire career, and we will finish up the last three days, with value offerings that ~~plainly~~ ~~evidently~~ ~~our~~ determination to excel the record of the past. They are among the most important of this season, bringing the holiday needs within closer reach than was ever possible before. The result of our determination to

**Retire From Business
in Greensboro.**

A stock bought for CASH and sealing for CASH demonstrate our perfect ability to undersell all competitors. Remember the entire stock must be closed out. Every article, every garment, every yard of goods will be underpriced.

Open evenings until Christmas. See The Record for partial list of bargains.

D. Bendheim & Sons

Closing Out Sale.

Terms Strictly Cash.

There are other waterfalls, but there is only one Niagara.

There are many ways of advertising, but there is only one great way—that is the newspaper. How to Advertise? Say just what you mean, and do exactly what you say. We Defy the Public to show a single instance where we have not done just as we advertised. This advertisement will be no exception to our past record. This is what we are going to say at this time: Anyone buying a winter wrap from us between now and 11 o'clock next Monday night, will receive all our profit thrown in as a Christmas gift. Be wise and act at once.

J. M. HENDRIX & CO.

UNDERWEAR!

Let the Cold Wave waft you to our place and clothe yourself in a suit of our

UNDERWEAR.

We have the largest assortment and the best values we have ever offered at the lowest prices; Ranging from 50c to \$8.00 per suit. Where the majority buy, there you find the best values—such is the case here. A look through our stock will convince you.

Store open till 9 p. m., until Xmas.

Vanstory Clothing Co.

THE ONE-PRICE CASH CLOTHIERS.

236-238 South Elm Street.

Don't Fail to Call On A. D. Jones & Co.

When in town for Catalogue and prices on Pianos, Organs, Sewing Machines, Violins, Guitars, Banjos, Strings, Sheet Music, Needles, Oils, and Sewing Machine Supplies for all Machines. Nice lot just received for Holiday trade.

Pianos from \$175 up; Organs from \$35 up; New Machines \$16 up. Goods shipped direct from factory to customer if desired. We sell on easy terms to suit one and all. Save agents' commissions and local dealers' profits. We challenge competition, invite competition, and guarantee satisfaction.

All standard goods guaranteed from 10 to 20 years.

Opp. Hotel Guilford.

Southern Stock-Mutual Insurance Co.

Underwriters of Greensboro.

Combined Assets, \$254,818.87.

The only Insurance Companies in North Carolina that divide their Profits with the Policy Holders. \$29,785.06 returned as Dividends to Policy Holders in Five Years. When you insure call for these Greensboro Companies.

WHARTON, MCALISTER & VAUGHN, Managers.

O. W. Carr & Co.,
Murray Bros.,
D. C. Waddell,
Wharton, McAlister & Vaughn,

Greensboro
Agents.

VIGOR OF MEN MAGNETIC NERVINE
Easily, Quickly, Permanently Restored. Sold with a Written Guarantee to cure Lost Vitality, Nervous Debility, Insomnia, Falling Memory, and all Wasting Diseases and all Weaknesses resulting from early or later excesses. \$1 per box. \$3 for \$5. Mailed to any address or receipt of post.

For Sale by JOHN B. FARRELL, Druggist
GREENSBORO, N. C.

FOR RENT

Eight Room Dwelling on North Elm Street

Hot and Cold Water Baths, Etc.

DAVID WHITE